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The Boston Baking Company is furnishing the public the best bread to be found in the city. It will be remembered that this Company last spring sent free tickets for bread to all the colored schools. There were hundreds of poor children made happy at the expense of this Company. Every body should ask for grandmas bread the gem of the breakfast table.

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Medical Department, including the Medical, Dental and Pharmaceutical Colleges: The Thirty fourth Annual Session will begin September 30, 1901, at eight o'clock p. m., in the Amphitheatre. Dr. Charles I. West will deliver the opening address. The last day of registration is October 12, 1901. The public and the profession are cordially invited to be present.

Rooms for Rent.—1207 Washington Street, Northwest.

AT THE PAN-AMERICAN.

The Louisiana exhibit at the Pan American exposition will occupy 2,000 square feet of space.

Canada's exhibit at the Pan American exposition will occupy a space of about 3,000 square feet.

New York state will have about 4,000 square feet of space for its exhibit at the Pan American exposition.

Arrangements have been made to send the miniature Ferris wheel, which has been on exhibition at San Francisco several years, to Buffalo as part of the California exhibition. It will be filled with California dried fruit.

Three million logs in one massive pile make a very interesting sight. A large photograph of such a pile at Amberg, Wis., and 30 other interesting views will form a part of the exhibit of the lumber industries of northern Wisconsin, at the Pan American exposition.

There will be only one building at the Pan American exhibition in Buffalo designed in its entirety by a woman, and that one is the structure which will represent the states of New England. The woman whose brilliancy as an architect has gained her this honor is Miss Josephine Wright Chapman, of Boston.

INDIVIDUALITIES.

The outdoor sporting tastes of the emperor of Japan range from lawn tennis to football.

Arthur James Balfour, first lord of the British treasury, is a fine pianist and music is his hobby.

Mrs. Alice Burnhill Bruce, who recently died at Columbus, O., leaves nearly 360 lineal descendants. She was 94 years old.

The sultan has presented the czar with a magnificent table, with all accessories for smoking. It has been manufactured at the Yildiz factory and is embellished with his majesty's portrait, set in diamonds.

Ex-Senator Roger O. Mills, of Texas, is rapidly becoming an oil baron. His income from oil lands he owns in the Beaumont district of the Lone Star state is over \$15,000 per month, with no sign of exhaustion in the greasy flow.

Grover Cleveland is now for the second time the only living ex-president. Once before he enjoyed this distinction, none of his predecessors being alive after the death of Ruth-erford B. Hayes, January 17, 1893. Within seven weeks, however, Mr. Harrison's name was added to the list.

THIS, THAT AND THE OTHER.

Ammonia cleans hair brushes; dry them bristles down.

A bit of blotting paper and a hot iron take out a grease spot.

A good hair wash: One pint water, one ounce sal soda, one-quarter ounce cream of tartar.

On one of the Indian reservations in New York state is a toy factory which employs several hundred Indians all the year around. The toys manufactured here are being shipped all over the world.

George W. Lederer, the theatrical manager, has a scheme for building in New York a duplicate of the big London hippodrome, to contain a circus, a theatre and a vaudeville house. He has had an offer of 20 different sites.

OVER COPPER WIRES.

There are 10,000 miles of overhead telegraph wires in London.

The projected electric railway between Hamburg and Berlin will cost \$33,000,000.

Chamounix can now be reached from Geneva in less than four hours by the new electric tramline.

It is estimated that an electric pneumatic tube for transmitting packages eight inches in diameter would cost \$8,000 a mile.

The largest lightning conductor in the world is in Bavaria. The top of it is some yards above the meteorological station on the Zugspitze, the highest point of land in the German empire. It runs down the side of the mountain to a body of running water. The length of the rod is three and a half miles.

LEGAL NOTICE.

E. M. HEWLETT, ATTORNEY.

In the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, the 9th day of September, 1901.

John T. Thornton vs. Ida Thornton

No. 22,297 Equity Doc. 50
On motion of the plaintiff, by E. M. Hewlett his solicitor, it is ordered that the defendant, Ida Thornton, cause her appearance to be entered herein on or before the first rule day occurring forty days after this day; otherwise the cause will be proceeded with as in case of default. The object of this suit is for a divorce from the bond of marriage, on the ground of desertion. This order is to be published in the Washington Law Reporter and Washington Bee, once a week for three consecutive weeks.

By the Court, T. H. Anderson, Justice, etc.
True Copy Test, J. R. Young, Clerk, etc.
By M. A. Clancy, Assistant Clerk, etc.

THOMAS L. JONES, ATTORNEY

In the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, the 25th day of September, 1901.

Benjamin T. Petway vs. Mary Petway

No. 22,342 Equity Doc. 50

On motion of the complainant, by Thomas L. Jones his solicitor, it is ordered that the defendant, Mary Petway, cause her appearance to be entered herein on or before the first rule day occurring forty days after this day; otherwise the cause will be proceeded with as in case of default. The object of this suit is to secure a decree of divorce from the defendant on the ground of desertion. This order is to be published in the Washington Law Reporter and the Washington Bee, once a week for three successive weeks, prior to said rule day.

By the Court, E. F. Bingham Chief Justice, etc.
True Copy Test, J. R. Young, Clerk, etc.
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THE FIGURE FIEND'S FACTS.

A gallon of water weighs ten pounds, a gallon of mercury 1,375 pounds.

Out of 1,000 children, 60 boys die under five years old, but only 50 girls.

Nine thousand tons of wire are made into screws yearly in Great Britain.

One hundred and fifty cubic feet of cork to the ton, and only two cubic feet of gold.

In 1800 the United States exported 120,000 bales of cotton. In 1900 she sold 9,436,000 bales.

Manitoba is equal in size to the whole of the United Kingdom, but its total population is only 210,000.

The world gets sufficient heat from the sun in a year to melt a coat of ice 46 feet thick all over the globe.

In the German empire there are 2,918 public bathing establishments, an average of one to every 18,000 inhabitants.

Loamy clay will only absorb 21 grains of water to each 1,000 of earth in an hour, while good garden mold will take up 35 grains.

Beer has on an average four per cent. of alcohol, cider eight per cent., claret 11 1/2 per cent. Port has 23 parts in the 100, and whisky 53 to 54.

Thirty degrees of warmth above the average will make a pendulum clock gain, with a 39-inch pendulum, eight seconds in 24 hours. This is because the heat lengthens the pendulum by 1-128th of an inch.

GLEANINGS.

The world's railways carry 2,000,000,000 passengers and 950,000,000 tons of goods in a year.

The sparrow really raises more than three broods a year in England, but in Maryland, America, has been known to produce six.

Seventy-five per cent. of all the people alive have a touch of consumption at some time of their lives, which, as a rule, cures itself.

The salts in sea water are composed of seven separate substances, of which sodium chloride—common salt—accounts for 29 parts out of 48.

Ash leaves are capable of taking up more water than those of most other trees. In 100 pounds of ash leaves are 85 of water; in those of beech, 75; of maple, 60; of pine, 14, and of fir, 10.

A roof garden for trained nurses will be built on the University of Maryland hospital at Baltimore, to connect with a new dormitory for their day and night use. An infirmary especially designed for nurses will also be added.

The Locomotive, published by the Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection & Insurance company, gives the total number of boiler explosions in 1900 as 373, ten less than recorded in 1899. There were 383 in 1898, as well as in 1899, 369 in 1897 and 346 in 1896.

SCIENTIFIC TID-BITS.

Mercury's year is only 88 days, that of Venus 225 days and of Mars 687 days.

Applied to a burn, where the skin is not yet open, turpentine quickly alleviates the pain.

Mr. Morris K. Jesup has perfected an arrangement by which an American museum of natural history and the South Kensington museum will exchange exhibits.

Acetylene black produced from the carbon of acetylene is of excellent quality, fineness and purity. By reason of its very fine division acetylene black seems particularly suited for the production of India ink.

The Arnold arboretum, in the suburbs of Boston, has carried on its highly interesting and important work on a very slender income. Steps are now being taken to raise \$300,000 in addition to the present endowment.

The Massachusetts institute of technology has held examinations in London for the entrance of pupils to the Boston institution. The London Engineer says: "It would seem that American competition is not to be confined to commerce in the future."

Employer—I'd engage you for the place at once, only I must have a married man.

Applicant—Keep the place open for an hour, sir, I'll fix that! It's easier to get married than to get a job.—N. Y. World.

CROWD THE SCHOOLS

Filipinos, Old and Young, Are Very Eager to Learn.

Prof. Atkinson, Head of the Educational System for the Islands, Speaks Hopefully of the Future of His Work.

Considerable interest is manifested by the press in the report of Fred W. Atkinson, superintendent of public instruction in the Philippines, which has just reached Washington. It appears from this report that an effort is being made to displace Spanish with English in the schools, and, eventually, no doubt, throughout the islands. Says the Philadelphia Ledger:

"The most interesting part of the report . . . is the announcement that English has been adopted as the medium of instruction in the training of Filipino teachers, and that during the year English will displace Spanish in the schools. Spanish was the official language during the old regime, but even then it was used by a very small proportion of the inhabitants, who speak various Philippine dialects. There are many difficulties in the way of a sudden transition from Spanish to English, but under the gradual process of educating the youth the change will probably be made easily and naturally."

Another interesting part of the report tells about the selection of teachers. To quote again from the same paper:

"The Philippine school law authorized the appointment from the United States of 1,000 school teachers, and of these 781 have been selected. Of the 487 soldiers who applied for positions, 79 passed the examinations, and have exchanged the bayonet for the pen. The school-teachers chosen seem generally to be of an unusually high grade, both in character and ability. The 781 were sifted from among over 8,000 applicants, who filed strong testimonials from trustworthy sources, and care was taken to select those who had given evidence of equipment and teaching ability, rather than those who applied because they



FREDERICK W. ATKINSON.
(Superintendent of Public Instruction for the Philippines.)

had nothing else to do. In many instances ambitious young men have entered upon the work, who were filling most acceptable positions as teachers at home.

"The educational system in the archipelago consists of 18 divisions, each with a division superintendent. One high school in each division will be established next year, and teachers' institutes will soon be held in all the provinces."

The Filipinos, old and young, are very eager to learn, and they crowd the schoolrooms until sometimes one teacher has 100 or even 200 scholars.

The question of religious instruction was soon settled. Says the report:

"Upon receipt of an official copy of act No. 74 of the Philippine commission, which forbids any religious instruction by the teacher, a comprehensive order was issued forbidding the practice of religious devotion or their employment as means of punishment, the discontinuance of all teaching of the catholicism or religious doctrine, and the removal from the schoolhouse of all books containing such matter, and the removal from schoolrooms of crucifixes, religious emblems, sacred pictures, placards, etc. These orders were complied with. There was no protest from either parents or teachers, and, as above stated, no diminution in the attendance, the school year closing with the largest attendance in the history of these public schools. To many of the teachers the change was apparently welcome.

The people are so eager to learn that Superintendent Atkinson thinks 'it will not be necessary to resort to compulsory education,' and he adds the interesting remark that 'The children, both male and female, are the most precocious I have ever seen, very bright and studious and exceedingly well behaved.'

Germans with Irish Brogue.

Of late years many German boys go to Ireland to learn the language and acquire at the same time the Irish middle-class opinion of England, which they cherish and propagate on their return to their native land. Perhaps, says the Outlook, that is one of the sources of German dislike for the Englishman. Another thing that the German boy acquires in Ireland is a rich and varied brogue, and one of the most amusing things one hears in Germany is the waiter who speaks German-Irish-English. A music hall comedian who could adequately imitate this combination, as I have frequently heard it, would certainly make his fortune. Next to this in ludicrousness is the cockney English of many porters and waiters—learned, I have no doubt, within the sound of Bow Bells.

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Europe's System of Royal Succession.

The most general is that known as the salic system, under which women are completely excluded. This is the rule in Belgium, Sweden and Norway, Italy, Denmark and Germany. Then there is the German-Dutch system under which Germans in all degrees of relationship take precedence of females, the throne passing to the female line only in case of the extinction of all the male lines, however remote. This is the rule in Holland—from which the law takes its name—Russia, and some of the minor German states. The third system is our own (English) under which females are excluded when there are males in the same degree of relationship, but take precedence of males whose degree of relationship is not so close as their own. Thus an elder daughter of the ruling sovereign gives way to all her younger brothers and their issue, but takes precedence of a male cousin or a nephew. This system is the rule in Spain and Portugal as well as in England.—St. James' Gazette.

Poor Papa's Poor Patients.

Here is a little story of a little girl, the daughter of a local physician of credit and renown:

She is a bright child of six and has been much petted by her admiring friends. Perhaps this has spoiled her a little, but she is so sweet and entertaining that visitors can't keep their hands off of her.

One of these visitors, a new neighbor, made a call on the little maid's mother, and it was but a few moments before the little maid was on her lap.

In the chatter which followed the lady made some allusion to the little one's grandmother.

"Why, didn't you know?" cried the child.

"Know what, dear?" said the visitor. "Why," answered the child, "grandma is dead, and grandpa is dead, and Aunt Jane is dead—and most all of papa's patients are dead, too!"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Corroborative Evidence.

Young Husband—But, my dear, what made you believe this seedy stranger's story that I had fallen in the horse-pond?

Young Wife—Oh, darling, I believed him because he asked for and went off with your Sunday clothes and top-coat as changes for you to get home in.—Tit-Bits.

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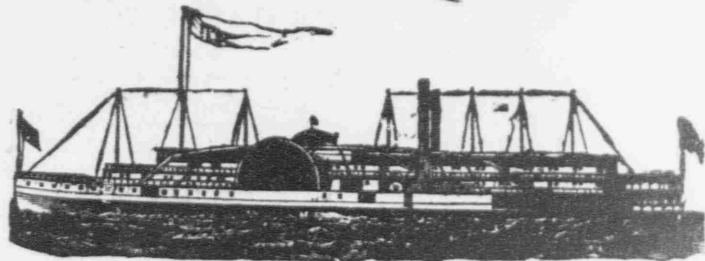
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